

Know all Men, That we, John Porter & James Bates

are bound unto the State of Indiana in the penal sum of One thousand dollars, for the payment of which we, jointly and severally bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators. Sealed and dated the 7 day of December 1854.

The Condition of the above Obligation is, That if the above bound John Porter shall faithfully discharge the duties of his trust as administrator of the estate of John Goings deceased, according to law, then the above obligation is to be void, else to remain in full force.

John Porter
James Bates
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Approved by me, the 7 day of December 1854.
J. D. Nelson
C. C. C. P. Allen County.

STATE OF INDIANA, }
Allen County, } SS.

I, John Porter swear that I will faithfully discharge the duties of my trust as administrator of the estate of John Goings deceased, according to law, so help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, the 7 day of December 1854.
J. D. Nelson
C. C. C. P. Allen County.

I, Grace D. Nelson Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas for the county of Allen, in the State of Indiana, do hereby certify that administration of the estate of John Goings late of Allen county, deceased, who died intestate, is granted to John Porter and the said John Porter having qualified and given bond as such administrator, is duly authorized to take upon himself the administration of such estate according to law.



Witness my Hand, And the seal of said Court, this 7 day of December 1854.
J. D. Nelson
C. C. C. P. Allen County.